**VERBOSITY – Wordiness**

BEFORE AFTER

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| a child who is naughty |  |
| advance notice |  |
| after having gone |  |
| alienated from others |  |
| alone by myself |  |
| alongside of |  |
| along the lines of |  |
| as to whether |  |
| ascend up |  |
| at about |  |
| attractive in appearance |  |
| because of the fact that |  |
| both alike |  |
| brown in color |  |
| by means of |  |
| cannot help out |  |
| carefulness |  |
| cause to go faster |  |
| close to the point of |  |
| come into conflict with |  |
| connected up with |  |
| consensus of opinion |  |
| cooperate together |  |
| descend down |  |
| despite the fact that |  |
| different in a number of ways |  |
| due to the fact that |  |
| endorse on the back of |  |
| equally as |  |
| you all/ you guys |  |
| few in number |  |
| for the purpose of |  |
| four a.m. in the morning |  |
| give consideration to |  |
| give encouragement to |  |
| give instruction to |  |
| have need for |  |
| have under consideration |  |
| in accordance with |  |
| in the case that |  |
| in order to |  |
| inside of/outside of |  |
| in the amount of |  |
| in view of the fact that |  |
| is located in |  |
| is of the opinion that |  |
| isolated by himself |  |
| join together/ join up/ join with |  |
| just exactly the same |  |
| larger in size |  |
| later on |  |
| lose out, win out |  |
| make an adjustment |  |
| make an inquiry |  |
| means to say/ tries to explain |  |
| miss out/ miss out on |  |
| more preferable |  |
| needless to say |  |
| no one else |  |
| novelist wrote in his novel |  |
| of a confidential nature |  |
| of an indefinite nature |  |
| off of |  |
| one and the same |  |
| on the occasion of |  |
| over with |  |
| put away |  |
| redo again |  |
| refer back |  |
| repeat again |  |
| same identical |  |
| seen by the eyes |  |
| self-confessed |  |
| simple reason |  |
| start in/start up/ start out |  |
| strangled to death |  |
| surround on all sides |  |
| throughout the whole entire |  |
| up until |  |
| want for |  |
| where \_\_\_\_ at |  |
| as to whether |  |

